

SCHOOL POPULATION

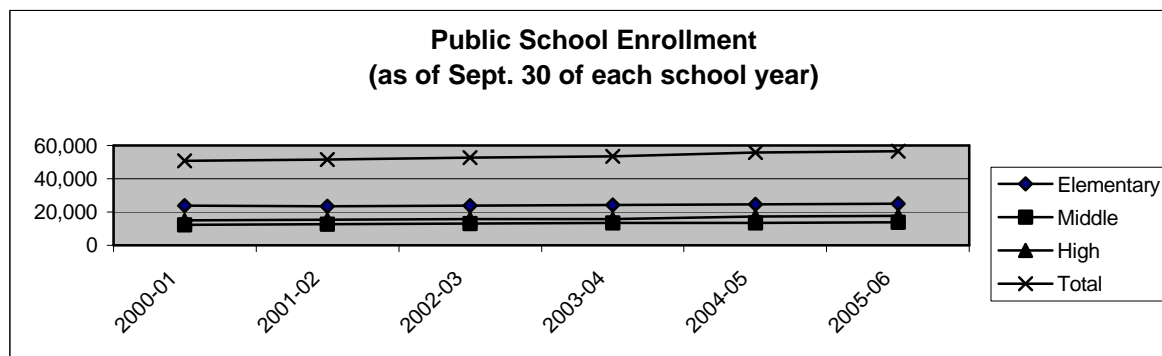
In 2005-06, more than 56,400 students attended Chesterfield County's 59 public schools. School enrollment has continued to increase, with the greatest growth in enrollment occurring at the elementary-school level.

The schools continue to become more diverse. Enrollment in English as a Second Language Programs has more than doubled in the last two years. Family structure has seen very little change over the last three years, with the great majority of Chesterfield County Public Schools students living in two parent households.

Public School Enrollment (As of Sept. 30 of each school year)

	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
Elementary	23,766	23,448	24,000	24,330	24,552	25,021
Middle	12,301	12,549	12,937	13,385	13,605	13,694
High	14,864	15,379	15,789	15,906	17,499	17,699
Total	50,931	51,376	52,726	53,621	55,656	56,414

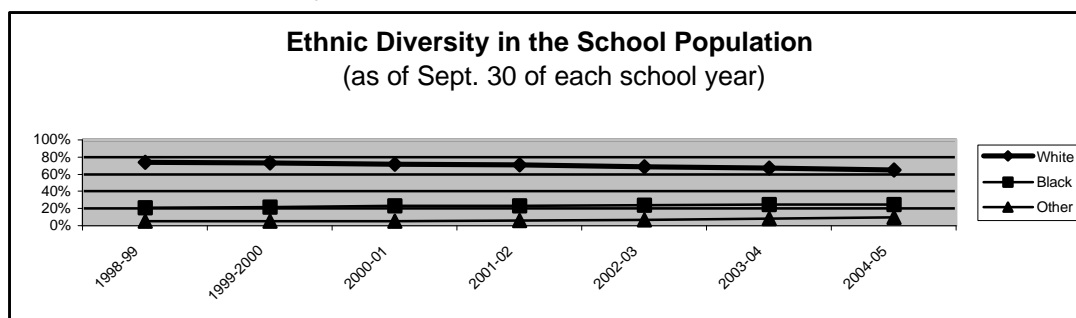
Source: Chesterfield County Public Schools



Ethnic Diversity in the School Population (as of Sept. 30 of each school year)

	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
White	74%	73%	72%	71%	69%	67%	65%
Black	21%	22%	23%	23%	24%	25%	25%
Other	5%	5%	5%	6%	7%	8%	10%

Source: Chesterfield County Public Schools



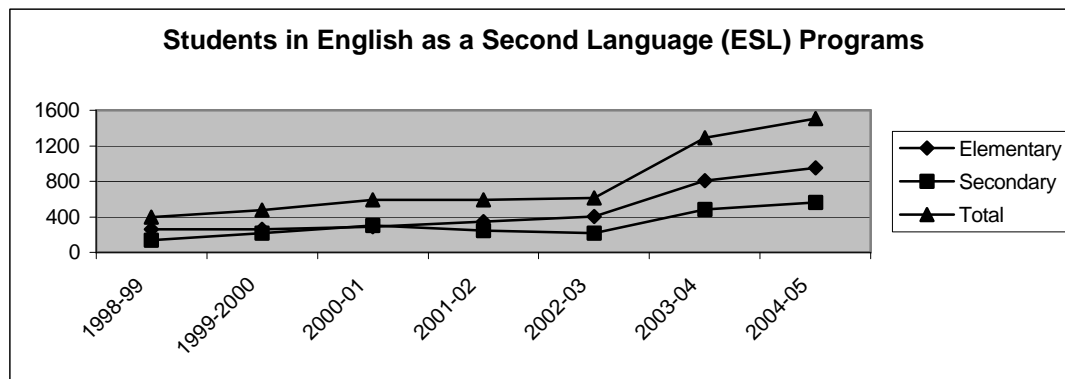
Students in English as a Second Language (ESL) Programs

(as of Sept. 23 of each school year)

	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Elementary	261	259	287	345	400	804	948
Secondary	135	215	303	247	215	486	561
Total	396	474	590	592	615	1290	1509

Source: Chesterfield County Public Schools

Students in the ESL program are recent immigrants predominantly from Asian countries, such as Cambodia, Vietnam, China, Japan and Korea, or Spanish-speaking countries, such as El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico and Columbia.



Family Structure of Chesterfield County Students

Percentage of students living with:	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Two parents (including stepparents)	72%	71%	71%	71%	70%	70%	69%
Single parent (mother or father)	26%	25%	26%	27%	27%	27%	28%
Foster parents, guardian or other	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%

Source: Chesterfield County Public Schools

